GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRO AND RURAL INDUSTRIES
LOK SABHA

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LOANS TO WEAKER SECTION
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Will the Minister of AGRO AND RURAL INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Khadi and Village Industries Commission are granting loans to provide employment to persons from weaker section through Khadi Boards; and

(b) if so, the amount distributed and persons benefited during last two years, State-wise?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF AGRO AND RURAL INDUSTRIES (SHRI KARIYA MUNDA)

(a): The Khadi and Village Industries Commission (KVIC) has not been conceived as a financial institution. The institutions are encouraged to take loans from the banks.

(b): Does not arise.